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SUBJECT: ECONOMIC INDICATORS FOR THE NETHERLANDS - UPDATE

REF: (A) 76 THE HAGUE A-127, (B) THE HAGUE 137, (C) 77 THE
HAGUE 5846

1. BELOW ARE LISTED UPDATE OF STATISTICAL SERIES IN REPORTED
REFERENCES. UNIT AND COLUMN HEADINGS ARE OMITTED. THEY
ARE READ ACROSS IN THE TABLES OF REF A.

2. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION: DEC 118, 0, 9.3.

3. MARITIME SHIPPING: OCT 20963, -27.1, -54.0; NOV 19835,
-34.0, -10.9.

4. NATURAL GAS: JULY 5245, -1.9, NA
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5. CONSUMPTION, VALUE: OCT 235, 10.9, 3.5; NOV 239, 12.2
11.1.

6. CONSUMPTION, VOLUME: OCT 128, 4.9, -2.1; NOV 131, 7.4,
7.4.

7. CONSUMER PRICES: (NEW SERIES, 1975-100) 1977 JAN

112.3, NA, NA; FEB 113.0, NA, NA; MAR 113.6,
NA, NA; APR 115.6, NA, NA; MAY 115.9, NA,
NA; JUN 116.0, NA, 10.2; JUL 116.0, NA, 6.7; AUG
116.5, NA, 3.9; SEP 117.2, NA, 2.5; OCT 117.7, NA,
4.0; NOV 117.9, NA, 4.9; DEC 117.9, NA, 4.4; 1978
JAN (P) 117.4, 4.5, 2.1.

8. PRODUCER PRICES FOR FINAL GOODS: SEPT 156.6, 5.1, 4.7;

OCT 156.6, 4.7, 2.5; NOV (P) 156.8, 4.7, 1.2.

9. EXPORT PRICES: JUL 161, -1.8, 3.3; AUG 160, -3.6,

-0.8; SEP 160, -1.8, -3.3; OCT 162, -0.6, -1.7; NOV 162,
1.9, 1.7.

10. BEGINNING WITH THE FIGURES FOR MARCH 1977, THE CENTRAL
BUREAU OF STATISTICS COMMENCED A NEW DATA SERIES ON THE
MONEY SUPPLY. THE NEW SERIES INCLUDES FIGURES FOR TWO
ADDITIONAL CATEGORIES, "CLAIMS AND OBLIGATIONS", AND THEREFORE
THE MONEY SUPPLY TOTALS (M1 AND M2) REPORTED ARE SLIGHTLY
HIGHER THAN IF THEY HAD BEEN COMPILED IN THE OLD WAY. EMBASSY
CALCULATIONS SHOW THE NEW FIGURES FOR MARCH 1977 (THE ONLY
MONTH WHICH COULD BE DIRECTLY COMPARED) TO BE ONE TENTH OF
ONE PERCENT HIGHER THAN THE OLD FIGURES FOR MARCH 1977 (REF C).

11. MONEY SUPPLY (M1): NEW SERIES. 1977 MAR 52.2, NA,

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NA; APR 55.0, NA, NA; MAY 61.5, NA, NA; JUN 61.7,

NA, NA; JUL 61.5, NA, NA; AUG 58.8, NA, 30.8;

SEP 58.6, NA, 1.6.

12. MONEY SUPPLY (M2): NEW SERIES. 1977 MAR 96.6, NA,

NA; APR 98.9, NA, NA; MAY 98.9, NA, NA; JUN

96.4, NA, NA; JUL 94.4, NA, NA; AUG 92.4, NA,

-15.2; SEP 92.6, NA, -20.1.

13. INTEREST RATE (CALL MONEY): DEC 5.34, 6.44, 3.02;

1978 JAN 5.11, 6.23, 4.29.

14. INTEREST RATE (LTG): DEC 8.11, 8.40, 7.83; JAN 7.73,

8.40, 8.03.

15. UNEMPLOYMENT: DEC 216.0, 5.6, 5.7; JAN 224.8, 5.7,

5.8.

16. HOURLY WAGES: DEC 180, 7.8, 3.7; JAN 182, 6.4, 3.0.

17. CURRENT ACCOUNT: NOW NEW DATA AVAILABLE.

18. NET OFFICIAL RESERVES: NO NEW DATA AVAILABLE.

19. FOREIGN TRADE, VALUE: NOV 8065, 83595, 8383, 80595,
-318, -7000.

20. EXPORTS, VOLUME: NO NEW DATA AVAILABLE.

21. IMPORTS, VOLUME: NO NEW DATA AVAILABLE.

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